

## **Minutes of a Committee Meeting of TaWRA held at Breakers, Dobbin Road on Monday, March 9th 2009 at 7.00 pm.**

**Those present:** Michael Bird (Chairman), Andy Nicholls, Stan Burgess, Jane Myles (Secretary), Carole Webb, Lee Mills, Marie Roddis, Tim Stafford,

### **1. Apologies for Absence:**

Apologies were received from Duncan McInnes, Paul Follett

2. Michael Bird welcomed John Brickell who explained the tentative suggestions and ideas of the Padstow business group re transport. The Committee responded by saying that our current needs are a call-up shuttle bus service and practical road repairs especially on Trevone beach front.

3. **Minutes of the last Meeting** at Breakers, Dobbin Road, 21<sup>st</sup> January 2009 were read and were agreed as a true record of proceedings.

### **4. Matters arising**

#### Potholes in the road near the beach

The potholes are still there even though the Highways inspector's van had been spotted. There was great concern that the road is now extremely dangerous and that quite soon someone would sustain serious injury. Several cars have already been damaged.

#### Funding for youth projects

Michael Bird has written to Marian Sedgwick and is awaiting a reply.

#### Neighbourhood Watch

Stan Burgess is going through the Police Community Support Officer to find out the procedure for acquiring new representatives.

### **5. Transport**

Marie Roddis reported that Tony Doherty has had a letter back about the signage on Trevone Road. There is now no money left in the budget so nothing will be done till next year. The Council says that they have it in hand with Cornwall County Council.

**Action: Marie Roddis to take photos of the potholes and dangerous edge of roadway where Porthmissen Lane roadway meets the uneven surface of the carpark/open area above the beach and identify the Health and Safety person on the County Council who should be then notified about our concerns.**

Marie has requested a footpath map for tourists and the Committee endorsed this. She has suggested that the footpath between Dobbin Lane

and Harlyn Road should have a request stop for buses (on Harlyn Road) so that people can walk through to our village.

## **6. AGM planning**

The new Committee should arrange its meetings throughout the year at the end of the AGM if possible. A Newsletter will go out advertising the AGM. It will repeat the poster text, mention the successful carol singing evening, the post office photos on the website/blog, give an update on the road, the bench, and the new logo, once again advertising the website/blogspot address. In the Newsletter we can also enquire if anyone has had an accident or damage to vehicle as a result of the potholes so that we can draw up a dossier. There is also a need for independent tellers to count votes.

## **7. Any other business**

Tim Stafford to investigate how many hits we have on the web page. It is difficult to put the Minutes on the actual site. We can however put a link to the TaWRA Minutes which will then appear as a separate pdf file.

The Meeting closed at 10.10 pm.

MICHAEL BIRD  
Chairman

JANE MYLES  
Secretary